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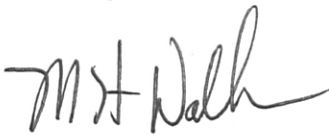
Dear Parents,

Comal Independent School District will provide an opportunity for students beginning their junior year, fall August 21, 2007, to participate in the Manufacturing and Technology Academy. This program of study presents an avenue of opportunities for students to begin developing a foundation of future careers. Many careers in this area will require students to pursue higher education and/or technical training.

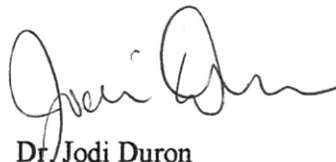
This Academy is an opportunity for tuition free college credit while in high school, summer internships, and the possibility of employment with one of many industry partners associated with the Academy. Applicants for this Academy are being accepted until August 10, 2007. If your student is interested in participating in the Academy please contact the Director of Career and Technical Education, Becky Walker, at becky.walker@comalisd.org or call her office at 1-830-221-2077. Grade level counselors will also be able to provide you with information about the Manufacturing and Technology Academy. Gene Bowman with the Alamo Area Academies is employed with the Alamo Area College District, and will assist Comal ISD in promoting the program and providing us with Business and Industry partners that are interested in employing students. Should you have any questions of Gene Bowman, please contact him at gbowman@accd.edu.

Comal Independent School District is committed to providing viable programs for students to develop the skills needed to meet the challenges of the world today. Transportation will be provided to and from the student's home campus to the Academy location at Central Texas Technology Center. If you have any questions please contact Becky Walker, Director of Career and Technology Education, Comal Independent School District at 1-830-221-2077.

Sincerely,



Dr. Marc Walker
Superintendent



Dr. Jodi Duron
Executive Director of Secondary Education